

## FINANCE, OIL AND GAS

## Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, June 8.—On the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange La Belle Iron common was the strongest stock, advancing to 104½, a new high record. It reached to and closed at 102½, a net gain of 1½ per cent. for the day. Pittsburgh Oil and Gas also made a new high mark by selling at 5½, and closed at 5½. Lone Star Gas was up 3½ at 99½, while Osage & Oklahoma was down \$2 at 131. Manufacturers Light and Heat rallied to 65, while Pure Oil declined a fraction to 23½. U. S. Glass continued its advance, selling at 37 to 38½, closing with a net gain of 2½ points. American Window Glass Machine was off ½ at 54½. Pittsburgh Plate Glass was entirely neglected.

Westinghouse issues were unusually quiet. Air Brake selling at 119½, and 119½, and Electric at 55. Independent Browning preferred on one small sale declined 1½ to 9½, and the bonds were ¼ lower at 36. The rest of the market was without important feature.

Sales.	High.	Low.
30 A W G Mach...	54½	54½
1,700 Cable Consol M.	.07	.07
80 Canby River G.	.49	.49
10 City Insurance...	.60	.60
50 Crucible Steel...	.83½	.83½
60 Fireproof pld...	.14½	.14½
11 Ind Brew pld...	.9½	.9½
160 La Belle Iron...	104½	102½
55 Lone Star Gas...	.99½	.93½
175 Mfrs L & H...	.65	.64½
1,500 Mt Shasta...	.55	.54
75 Ohio Fuel Sup...	.49½	.49
10 Osage & Okla...	.131	.131
900 P-J Copper...	.70	.68
350 Pgh O & G...	.57½	.55
796 Pure Oil...	.23½	.23½
1,006 San Toy...	.16	.16
215 Sewer Pipe...	.17	.17
110 U S Glass...	.33½	.37
140 U S Steel...	.133½	.132½
35 West Airbrake...	.119½	.119½
80 West Electric...	.55	.55

7,588	BONDS.
\$6,000 Ind. Brew 6s.	36 36

\*New high record.

## New York

NEW YORK, June 8.—Subject to persistent profit-taking which became too strong in the later dealings to be ignored, yesterday's extremely active market registered further general advances, especially among the industrials. The character of the trading was of such exceptional breadth as to heighten the impression of growing public participation.

Pools were again actively represented in some of the equipments and munitions. United States Industrial Alcohol added 9½ points at its extreme rise to 164½, making a gross gain of 26 points in two days. United States Steel maintained its leadership, rising 2½ to 134½, this being equal, adding recent dividends of 4¼ per cent., to 138½, and exceeding its previous maximum by 1½ points.

## Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Notwithstanding that the corn market continued yesterday to show remarkable activity, sensational advances in price received a decided check. Prospects of warmer weather and of consequent better field conditions for the growing crop did a good deal to ease down values. The close was heavy at the same as Wednesday's finished to 3c lower, with July at \$1.53½ @ 1.53½ and September at \$1.42½ @ 1.43. Wheat closed unsettled at ½c net decline to 3c advance, with July \$2.22½ and September \$1.95. Oats lost ¾ to 1½c. The outcome in provisions ranged from 5c off to a rise of 7½c.

Articles.	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
July .....	\$2.22	\$2.22½
September .....	1.95	1.95
Corn—		
July .....	1.53	1.53½
September .....	1.44½	1.42½
Oats—		
July .....	.60½	.59½
September .....	.53½	.51½

## SOCIAL AT ELDORA

There will be an ice cream social at Eldora, W. Va., Saturday evening, June 16, for the benefit of the Eldora church. There is also a nice woolen quilt to be sold for the benefit of the Sunday school. Everybody come.

## Your Own Garden

By A GARDENER.

The only thing that will bother your potato pile garden is the potato bug, and I'll tell you tomorrow how to take care of him either in the potato pile or the patch.

When leaves and vines are beginning to turn brown you may begin investigating to see if potatoes are big enough to eat. Start at the top and push away the earth about a vine, being careful not to do any damage to that or other vines. If the tubers are large enough to suit, start eating them. Later on when vines have all turned brown, it's time to tear apart the crate.

As the boards are knocked off the crate the earth will slide down. What remains may be raked down. The potatoes being taken up as uncovered.

The earth may be piled up for the same purpose, another supply of well rotted manure being obtained then.

So, too, may the posts and boards be stacked away for next year's potato pile.

Things to remember: Enough water, but not overwatering; killing of po-

## Oil and Gas.

On Middle Island creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, W. Va., James L. Kelly & Co. have completed a second test on the Maud K. Conaway farm. It is a 15-barrel pumper in the Maxon sand. In the Burning Springs district, Wirt county, the South Penn Oil company has drilled No. 18 on the A. B. Wilson farm through the salt sand. It is good for 10 barrels a day in that formation.

In Church district, Wetzel county, the Carnegie Natural Gas company is drilling a test on the Abe Bartrug farm and has the rig completed for a test on the J. Bartrug farm. In the same district the Philadelphia company is due in the sand at a second test on the Cunningham heirs' farm. In Grant district the Wells Oil company is drilling in the sand at a second test on the Snyder heirs' farm. In Murphy district, Ritchie county, the Hays Oil company is due in the sand at a test on the McGrover heirs' farm.

## WORTHINGTON.

No Slackers Here.

Registration day passed off quietly here and the number applying for registration was double what had been expected, 227 having been enrolled. It was a busy day for the registrars and it was nearly 11 o'clock when the last man received his card. At 8 o'clock the time fixed for closing there were at least fifty in line waiting for their turn. Although large it was a jolly good natured crowd and we are requested by the registrars to tender their thanks to the people for their good conduct while patiently waiting to register their names. So far as has been ascertained every man eligible in the precinct presented himself for registration.

Another Coal Mine to Be Operated. A. Friedman, of Fairmont, has leased a three-acre tract of the Pittsburgh vein of coal near the mouth of Helen's run and will begin operations at once. The coal will be hauled to the B. & O. station and loaded in cars there for shipment. The mine will be operated on a royalty basis.

Accepted a Call to the Pastorate. Rev. Asa B. Stickley, of Holliday's Cove, W. Va., has accepted the call extended by the congregations of the Christian churches at Worthington and Shinnston. It is not yet known when he will begin the work but he will preach at Worthington on Sunday evening, June 17th, and at Shinnston in the morning of the same day.

## Personals.

Lawrence G. Sandy returned from Washington, D. C., on Monday evening last where he went to pass an examination for a position in the navy. Mrs. Geo. F. Randall, of Shinnston, was a visitor here on Monday. A. J. McDaniel, who was reported sick the first of the week, is much better and is able to be at work in the bank again.

Elisha Brumage, who was seriously ill for some time, is improving and is now able to be on the streets.

Ralph E. Douglas, who has been working at Ashland, Ohio, for several months, returned here on Thursday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wood was shopping in Fairmont on Thursday.

Mrs. H. R. Sturm, of Annabelle, was shopping in Worthington on Wednesday.

## FOURTEEN TO BE ARRESTED

CHARLESTON, June 8.—The State military headquarters this afternoon directed the arrest of 14 men in the lower end of Wyoming county, who, the county authorities at Mullins reported, had refused to register Tuesday. District Attorney William G. Barnhart has sent a deputy to Wyoming county with warrants for the arrest of the men. They will be brought to Charleston, it was said, and their cases will be investigated by the grand jury of the present term of court. Arrests also have been ordered to be made in Pocahontas county, the District Attorney said.

Capt. Relinquishes Command. MORGANTOWN, W. Va., June 8.—Capt. J. H. Laubach, commandant of West Virginia university cadets, who has been ill for some time, has been relieved of his command. He will receive treatment in a Washington hospital and then rejoin the army, being assigned to the newly organized Sixtieth United States Infantry.

## SERBIAN PATRIOTS LEAVE U. S. FOR BATTLE FRONT



Serbian Patriots on parade in San Francisco recently before leaving the west on the way to Europe where they will fight to restore the honor of their homeland. About 200 men left San Francisco for Seattle, Wash., to join another group of their countrymen on the trip east.

## MEETINGS

## GENERAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the stockholders of Stevenson Company, a corporation created and organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia is hereby called to be held at the office of the company, in the City of Fairmont, West Virginia, on the 9th day of June, 1917, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon a resolution which will then and there be offered to increase the authorized capital stock of said corporation by increasing the number of shares of stock thereof from Three Thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) each to Four Thousand (4,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) each. The undersigned Special Commissioner will on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1917, at 2:00 p. m. at the front door of the Court House of said county, offer for sale at public auction, the following described real estate, that is to say:

That certain tract or parcel of real estate situated in the First ward of the City of Fairmont, in Marion county, West Virginia, near the Monongahela river, bounded on the east by lot later owned by the heirs of Mrs. Mary Baker deceased, on the west by what was formerly Jackson street, on the north by the Monongahela river, and on the south twenty-six feet of the same lot reserved by B. Layman, the said parcel of land being one hundred and twenty feet in length and seventy feet wide, more or less, being the same property that was conveyed to said Safety Check Hook Company by A. B. McDonald and wife, by deed dated August 1, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of said Marion county, in Deed Book No. 124, page 240, except, however,

And for the purpose of amending Section 1 of Article Two of the by-laws.

The said general meeting of stockholders is called by order of the Board of Directors.

H. L. FLOWER, Secretary.

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## FARMS FOR SALE

28 ACRES 2½ miles from Garretttsville, (Ohio), 1½ miles from Hiram College, well built, 7-room house, furnace, pit, cobblestone chimney and fireplace, fine water, good shade, fruit, alfalfa, 3 acres sugar bush and equipment \$3,600. Paul L. Wilson, Garretttsville, Ohio. 6-19-30 w s No. 2373

## SPECIAL NOTICES

## NOTICE OF SALE.

Under authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of Marion county, West Virginia, entered on the 27th day of April, 1917, in the chancery cause of John A. Clark et al. vs. Fairmont Safety Check Hook Company et al., the undersigned Special Commissioner will on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1917, at 2:00 p. m. at the front door of the Court House of said county, offer for sale at public auction, the following described real estate, that is to say:

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that portion of said parcel of real estate beginning at a point on the north-easterly side of Goff street on the division line between the lot of the grantor and the lot of Mrs. M. Slaughter, thence with the northeasterly line of Goff street in a northeasterly direction 44 ft., more or less, thence parallel to and 60 ft. at right angles from the center line of the F. M. & P. Railroad N. 44 degrees 17 minutes E. 75 feet, more or less, to the division line between the land of the grantor and the land of Charles Powell, thence with said division line southeasterly 51 ft. to the division line between the land of the grantor and the land of Mrs. M. Slaughter, thence with said division line 74 ft., more or less, to Goff street, the place of beginning, containing 08-100 acres, being the same parcel of land that was by the Safety Check Hook Company conveyed to F. M. & P. Railroad Company by deed dated September 29, 1903, and recorded in the office of the County Court, in Deed Book No. 127, page 256.

## Terms of Sale.

One-third of the purchase money, or as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay, cash in hand on the day of sale, and the balance in two equal payments payable in one and two years from said date, with interest from date, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser and secured by a vendor's lien retained upon the property.

Given under my hand this 15th day of May, 1917.

E. M. SHOWALTER,

Special Commissioner.

I, W. S. Black, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion county, West Virginia, hereby certify that the above named E. M. Showalter, Special Commissioner, has executed bond conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such commissioner in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, with security thereon approved by me as sufficient and as required in the above mentioned decree of sale.

W. S. BLACK, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion County, West Virginia. May 18, 25 June 7, 14

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Subscribe to a Liberty Bond before the day is over. And when anyone asks you, show him the receipt from your bank or boss and grin, and say "You betcha, friend! You betcha," like a regular American who did not wait until the last day or until he was nagged into it, but who VOLUNTEERED—who didn't hang back a minute when his country called.

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First National Bank . . . . . Worthington, W. Va.  
First National Bank . . . . . Monongah, W. Va.  
Bank of Farmington . . . . . Farmington, W. Va.  
Exchange Bank of Mannington . . . . . Mannington, W. Va.  
First National Bank . . . . . Mannington, W. Va.  
Bank of Mannington . . . . . Mannington, W. Va.  
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WANTED—Four experienced lady demonstrators for house to house canvass for Danner's Coffee. Salary. Address C. E. Davis, General Delivery, Fairmont. 6-2-17 No. 2423

WANTED—Girl for housework; continuing place. Apply 708 5th St. 6-4-17 No. 2428

WANTED—A-1 experienced stenographer. Apply at once Sanderson & Porter, Third floor, new Fairmont Trust Company building. 6-7-17 No. 2438

## HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four room house with bath. For information call or address A. C. Kendall, Mining Machine office. 3-15-17 No. 2027

FOR SALE—6-room house with bath. Big lot. Apply 325 Jefferson street. 4-20-17 No. 2235

## OFFICES TO RENT

FOR RENT—July 1st, entire second floor, north half Skinner building. Will be fitted up for offices to suit desirable tenant or tenants. Michael Powell. 4-28-17 No. 2273

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## ROOMS—UNFURNISHED

FOR RENT—6 large rooms, 801 Locust Ave. \$14.00. 6-5-17 No. 2433

## MONEY TO LOAN

THE BUCKEYE SAVING AND LOAN company of Bellaire, O., has money to loan on desirable real estate. See Paul G. Armstrong, Attorney, 41-42 Trust Bldg., 7th Floor, Fairmont, W. Va.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

## JUDICIAL SALE

Pursuant to decree of the Circuit Court of Marion county, West Virginia, entered on the 25th day of April, 1917, in that certain chancery cause therein pending wherein Joseph W. Board is plaintiff and Charles G. Brown and others are defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioner will on Saturday, the 9th day of June, 1917, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 2:00 o'clock p. m. of that day, at the front door of the Court House of Marion county, West Virginia, at public auction, sell that certain parcel of land situated in the J. F. Watson addition No. 1 to West Fairmont, formerly the Fifth ward of the City of Fairmont and now the Eighth ward of City, in Marion county, West Virginia, a plot of which is recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of said county, in Deed Book No. 74, page 96; said lot fronting 60 feet on Green street and extending back to a uniform width of 60 feet along Apple alley (sometimes called Orchard alley), a distance of 80 feet, containing 4,500 square feet, and being the rear half of lot No. 6 and part of the rear half of lot No. 7 in block No. 2 of said addition, but excepting and reserving all the coal underlying said lot and the mining rights and privileges thereunto belonging, and being the same parcel conveyed to Joseph W. Board by Teresa M. Hamilton and husband by deed dated April 3, 1906, and of record in said Clerk's office in Deed Book No. 142, page 397; and also being the same real estate conveyed by said Board to the defendant, Charles G. Brown by deed dated March 17, 1914. Said sale will be made upon the following terms: One-third (1-3) of the purchase money and as much more thereof as the purchaser may elect to pay in hand on day of sale, and the residue thereof to be paid in five equal payments, payable with interest on or before one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) years from date of sale. The interest on said deferred payments to be paid annually, and for which the purchaser will be required to execute in favor of the undersigned Special Commissioner his notes with personal security to be approved by said Special Commissioner, and a vendor's lien will be reserved upon the face of the deed conveying title to such purchaser as a further security.

JAMES A. MEREDITH,

Special Commissioner.

I, W. S. Black, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion county, West Virginia, do certify that the above named Special Commissioner has executed bond before me, with good security approved by me as sufficient conditioned according to the above mentioned decree and otherwise conditioned according to law.

W. S. BLACK, 5 12-19-26—6 7- Clerk of said Court.

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## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Lady's gold watch at snow grounds. Return to 424 Bolton St. \$5.00 reward. 6-4-17 No. 2441

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Pick and shovel laborers on Fairmont and Riverview road. Work will start May 28. 5-26-17 No. 2391

LABORERS WANTED AT NEW PLANT OF FAIRMONT CHEMICAL COMPANY. THIRTY CENTS PER HOUR. STEADY EMPLOYMENT TO COMPETENT MEN. 16-1-17 No. 2416

WANTED—Young men between the ages of 21 and 33 for locomotive firemen. Good wages, good chance for promotion. Apply W. F. Ross, Benwood, W. Va. 6-7-17 No. 2437

## HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Very desirable houses and flats close in South Side. Inquire F. P. Kelley, Bell phone 1021-24. 5-26-17 No. 2390

FOR RENT—Furnished house. Modern conveniences. Call 108-J. Bell. 6-5-17 No. 2439

## FARMS FOR SALE

FINE FARM, 111 acres, in Porters Co., O., near paved road, Cleveland to Youngstown. Well watered, fine springs, splendid bearing fruit orchards. Good buildings. Furnace heated house. To close an estate. Bargain for quick sale. Principals only. E. Reed Jones, Diamond, Ohio. 6-5-17 No. 2442

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